



95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2007 and 2008

HB4090

by Rep. William B. Black

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/15-158.4

Amends the State Universities Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Changes provisions concerning election of medicare coverage to require the State Universities Retirement System to provide divided medicare coverage on a prospective basis to employees continuously employed by the same employer since March 31, 1986 who apply within 6 months after the effective date.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
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1 AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by changing
5 Section 15-158.4 as follows:

6 (40 ILCS 5/15-158.4)

7 Sec. 15-158.4. Election of medicare coverage. ~~(a)~~ The
8 System shall provide ~~conduct a~~ divided medicare coverage on a
9 prospective basis referendum, open to employees continuously
10 employed by the same employer since March 31, 1986 who apply to
11 the System within 6 months after the effective date of this
12 amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly. ~~The referendum~~
13 ~~shall be conducted in accordance with the applicable provisions~~
14 ~~of federal law and Article 21 of this Code.~~

15 ~~(b) As used in this Section and in compliance with federal~~
16 ~~law, "referendum" means the process whereby employees are~~
17 ~~granted the opportunity to make an irrevocable individual~~
18 ~~election to participate in the medicare program on a~~
19 ~~prospective basis.~~

20 ~~(c) Employers shall pay the necessary employer~~
21 ~~contributions and make the necessary deductions from salary for~~
22 ~~employees who elect to participate in the federal medicare~~
23 ~~program under this Section, as required by the System, Article~~

1 ~~21 of this Code, and federal law.~~

2 (Source: P.A. 94-415, eff. 8-2-05.)